

CLOSED,STAYED,TYPE I-FOIA

U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:10-cv-01559-BAH

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
 RESPONSIBILITY v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR
 Assigned to: Judge Beryl A. Howell
 Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/16/2010
 Date Terminated: 06/15/2012
 Jury Demand: None
 Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
 Information Act
 Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

**PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR
 ENVIRONMENTAL
 RESPONSIBILITY**

represented by **Paula Naomi Dinerstein**
 PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR
 ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY
 2000 P Street, NW
 Suite 240
 Washington, DC 20036
 (202) 265-7337
 Fax: (202) 265-4192
 Email: pdinerstein@peer.org
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

V.

Defendant

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

represented by **Matthew J.B. Lawrence**
 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 Civil Division
 20 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
 Federal Programs Branch
 Washington, DC 20001
 (202) 305-0747
 Email: matthew.j.lawrence@usdoj.gov
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/16/2010	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR (Filing fee \$ 350, receipt number 4616032787) filed by PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(jf,) (Entered: 09/16/2010)
09/16/2010		SUMMONS (3) Issued as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (jf,) (Entered: 09/16/2010)
09/22/2010	<u>2</u>	STANDING ORDER. Signed by Judge Richard J. Leon on 9/22/2010. (lcrjl3) (Entered: 09/22/2010)
10/20/2010	<u>3</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew J.B. Lawrence on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 10/20/2010)
10/20/2010	<u>4</u>	Joint MOTION to Stay <i>Proceedings and Extend Defendant's Time to File a Responsive Pleading</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lawrence, Matthew). Added MOTION for Extension of Time on 10/21/2010 (znmw,). (Entered: 10/20/2010)
10/25/2010	<u>5</u>	ORDER granting <u>4</u> Motion to Stay; and granting <u>4</u> Motion for Extension of Time for Defendant's to File a Responsive Pleading. Signed by Judge Richard J. Leon on 10/21/10. (see order.) (kc) (Entered: 10/25/2010)

11/30/2010	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to <u>1</u> Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit E)(Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 11/30/2010)
12/03/2010		MINUTE ORDER lifting stay. It is hereby ORDERED that the stay in this case shall be lifted. Signed by Judge Richard J. Leon on 12/3/2010. (lcrjl3) (Entered: 12/03/2010)
01/13/2011	<u>7</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>Pursuant to Court's Order of September 22, 2010</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 01/13/2011)
01/20/2011		Case reassigned to U.S. District Judge Beryl A. Howell. Judge Richard J. Leon no longer assigned to the case. (gt,) (Entered: 01/20/2011)
04/12/2011		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) directing the parties to file a joint status report regarding the status of the case by April 22, 2011 and every 30 days thereafter until this case is dismissed or resolved. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on April 12, 2011. (lcbah1) (Entered: 04/12/2011)
04/12/2011		Set Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 4/22/2011 (cp) (Entered: 04/13/2011)
04/21/2011	<u>8</u>	STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 04/21/2011)
05/06/2011	<u>9</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>and Proposed Schedule</i> by PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 05/06/2011)
05/12/2011		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) In accordance with the parties' <u>9</u> Joint Report and Proposed Order, this case shall proceed with the following deadlines: The defendant shall begin production of documents by June 16, 2011 and shall complete production by July 21, 2011. The parties shall file a joint status report by August 25, 2011. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on May 12, 2011. (lcbah1) (Entered: 05/12/2011)
05/12/2011		Set Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 8/25/2011 (cp) (Entered: 05/13/2011)
08/25/2011	<u>10</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 08/25/2011)
09/02/2011	<u>11</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>and Proposed Schedule (Joint)</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 09/02/2011)
09/06/2011		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>11</u> Joint Report and Proposed Schedule, the parties shall abide by the following deadlines: The defendant's first production shall be completed by September 23, 2011. The defendant's second production shall be completed by October 19, 2011. The defendant's third production shall be completed by November 16, 2011. The defendant's final production shall be completed by January 13, 2012. The parties shall file a Joint Status Report detailing the status of this case by February 2, 2012. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on September 6, 2011. (lcbah1) Modified on 9/6/2011 at the direction of chambers to include title "MINUTE ORDER (paperless)" (zmm,). (Entered: 09/06/2011)
09/06/2011		Set/Reset Deadlines: Defendant's first production due 9/23/11, second production due 10/19/11, third production due 11/16/11 and final production due 1/13/12. Joint Status Report due by 2/2/2012. (alg,) (Entered: 09/06/2011)
09/06/2011		NOTICE OF CORRECTED DOCKET ENTRY: Text of 9/6/2011 Minute Order corrected at the direction of chambers to include the following text: "MINUTE ORDER (paperless)". (zmm,) (Entered: 09/06/2011)
02/02/2012	<u>12</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 02/02/2012)
02/02/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>12</u> Joint Report, the parties shall file a joint status report by February 16, 2012 detailing the status of

		this case and, if necessary, setting forth a proposed briefing schedule. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on February 2, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 02/02/2012)
02/02/2012		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 2/16/2012. (alp) (Entered: 02/03/2012)
02/16/2012	<u>13</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 02/16/2012)
02/21/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>13</u> Joint Report, the parties shall file a joint status report by March 1, 2012 detailing the status of this case and, if necessary, setting forth a proposed briefing schedule. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on February 21, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 02/21/2012)
02/21/2012		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 3/1/2012. (alp) (Entered: 02/21/2012)
03/01/2012	<u>14</u>	STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Parties' Settlement Agreement)(Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 03/01/2012)
03/01/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>14</u> Joint Report, the parties shall file a joint status report by March 29, 2012 detailing the status of this case and, if necessary, setting forth a proposed briefing schedule on the issue of fees and costs. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on March 1, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 03/01/2012)
03/01/2012		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 3/29/2012. (alp) (Entered: 03/02/2012)
03/29/2012	<u>15</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 03/29/2012)
03/29/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>15</u> Joint Report, the parties shall file a joint status report by April 26, 2012 detailing the status of this case and, if necessary, setting forth a proposed briefing schedule on the issue of fees and costs. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on March 29, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 03/29/2012)
04/03/2012		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 4/26/2012. (zmm,) (Entered: 04/03/2012)
04/25/2012	<u>16</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 04/25/2012)
04/26/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) Upon consideration of the parties' <u>16</u> Joint Report, if a stipulation of dismissal has not been filed prior to May 24, 2012, the parties shall file a joint status report on that date advising the Court of the progress of this case. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on April 26, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 04/26/2012)
05/24/2012	<u>17</u>	STATUS REPORT (<i>Joint</i>) by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 05/24/2012)
06/13/2012	<u>18</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal <i>with Prejudice</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Settlement Agreement)(Lawrence, Matthew) (Entered: 06/13/2012)
06/15/2012		MINUTE ORDER (paperless) In light of the parties' <u>18</u> Stipulation of Dismissal with Prejudice, the Clerk is directed to close this case. Signed by Judge Beryl A. Howell on June 15, 2012. (lcbah1) (Entered: 06/15/2012)